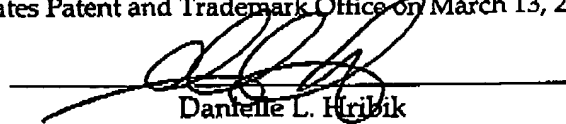


Certificate of Facsimile Transmission

I hereby certify that this paper is being facsimile transmitted to (571) 273-8300 at the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 13, 2006.


Danielle L. Hribik

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

MAR 13 2006

In the United States Patent and Trademark Office

Applicants: Boyd *et al.*

Examiner: Lezah Roberts

Serial No.: 10/720,462

Art Unit: 1614

Filing Date: November 24, 2003

Confirmation No.: 4081

For: Dentifrice Containing Functional
Film Flakes

Attorney Docket No.: 7052-01

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

This Response and Amendment is filed in reply to the non-final Office Action mailed December 13, 2005. It is timely filed on March 13, 2006.

Kindly consider the enclosed remarks.